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For: A COMPOSITION COMPRISING AN ENZYME HAVING GALACTOSE OXIDASE ACTIVITY AND USE THEREOF

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Transmitted herewith is the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra	Rate		Amount
				Large Entity	Small Entity	
Number of Claims in Excess of 20	89	80	9	\$ 18.00	\$ 9.00	162.00
Independent Claims in Excess of 3	1	3		\$ 78.00	\$ 39.00	0
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 260.00	\$130.00	0
Extension Fee:	a) One Month			\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00	110.00
	b) Two Months			\$ 380.00	\$190.00	
	c) Three Months			\$ 870.00	\$435.00	
	d) Four Months			\$1,360.00	\$680.00	
	e) Five Months			\$1,850.00	\$925.00	
TOTAL FEE DUE:						272.00

(X) This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

(X) A check in the amount of \$272.00 is attached.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 31, 2001, a one-month extension of time having been obtained, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 7, delete the third full paragraph beginning at line 17, and ending at line 22, and substitute for it the following replacement paragraph:

Cereal flour has a natural content of non-starch polysaccharides comprising galactose moieties as structural elements, in particular hemicellulose compounds, including compounds which are generally referred in the art as pentosans or xylans. It was found that such structural components hereof are useful substrates for galactose oxidase.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b), also enclosed, in Appendix A, is a version of the above replacement paragraph marked up to show all the changes relative to the deleted paragraph.

On page 27, delete the second full paragraph beginning at line 15, and ending at line 18, and substitute for it the following replacement paragraph:

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